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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(3) FOR ACCEPTANCE OF  
UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED CLAIM FOR PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. §120**

Sir/Madam:

Applicants hereby petition to amend a claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 in the above-identified application.

An Amendment specifying the references required by 35 U.S.C. §120 and 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2) to the prior-filed U.S. applications for which a benefit is sought is enclosed herewith.

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A Statement explaining that this amended benefit claim is unintentionally delayed also is enclosed herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge of \$1370.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(t), together with any further amount required for proper filing of this paper, to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448, Reference CKB-095.01.

An early and favorable action on this petition is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 3, 2006

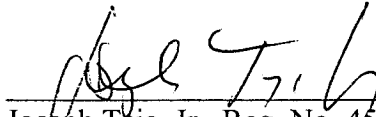
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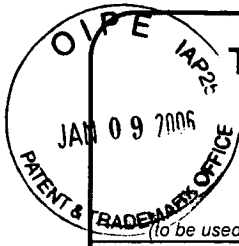
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(iii)**

Sir/Madam:

In the above-identified application, the entire delay between the date that the priority claim was due, under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(2)(ii), to the reference(s) indicated in the attached Amendment, and today's date on which the claim is filed, was unintentional.

During a review of this application file pursuant to recent discussions with the Examiner following a response mailed November 2, 2005 to an Office Action mailed June 2, 2005, and pursuant to discussions with representatives of the current assignee of record (Color Kinetics, Inc.), the undersigned noted that the priority claim references listed in the "Cross Reference to Related Applications" section of the application as filed were

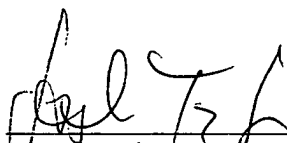
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incomplete. In view of the foregoing, Applicants have enclosed herewith a Petition Under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) for Acceptance of an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority Under 35 U.S.C. §120, together with a Supplemental Amendment specifying the application(s) for which a benefit is sought, this statement that the amended benefit claim is unintentionally delayed, and the required surcharge.

Favorable consideration is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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